DLONEL SAYS HE IS WILLING TO ADDRESS G. O. P. CON

HARMONY PLAN SHATTERED, HUGHES AND ROOSEVELT TO LEAD RIVAL G.O.P. TICKETS

Onrushing Horde of Czar's Soldiers Causes Austrians to Evacuate Lutsk, One of Volhynian Triangular Defenses.

Several Brigades of Aus- Young, was critically ill in bed and trians Are Reported Cap-Bombardment.

of the Volhynian triangle for- playing football while in college, tion received at the Russian married right away. Only their fam-embassy in Rome, says a Cen-The bridegroem, attended by his bride. tral News despatch from that was then removed to Worcester, Mass., his home city, where the operation

Several brigades of Austrians lous condition there. are reported in the advices to have been captured with the fortress

It is stated that the Austrian mother, Mrs. R. T. Rockwell, and has been living at 4 Mansfield street, that city. Mr. Young is connected with an electrical concern in New Haven. withdrawn nearly twenty miles throughout the Lutsk section. TEN THOUSAND

Admit Loss of Fort Vaux Paris, June 8—Heavy fighting continues in the vicinity of Fort Vaux, northeast of Verdun. The war office report of today says French troops still occupy the outskirts of the fort as well as trenches to the right and left of the works.

The loss of the fort itself, of which an intimation was given in last night's Head of Chamber of Comreport is conceded. The announce-ment says the fort was abandoned by the garrison after it had been reduc ed to a heap of ruins by an incessant bombardment of seven days. German attacks on the adjacent positions thus far have been unsuccessful.

The statement says: ing against forces whose numbers in the period of its existence. While were constantly renewed, the French garrision at Fort Vaux reached the limit of its strength and was not able willing to do their part the requirements of the city are pyramiding so these positions which had been ruinto the left of it. In front of these sponsible for the welfare of Bridge-every attack delivered by the enemy port. has been broken by our fire."

V. S. TROOPS IN CHINA READY TO **MOVE ON PEKING**

Military Force Prepared To ford, "will be to determine how a stimulus can be given to building of and was not held. The ambulance Go To Capital If Necessary.

London, June 8-An Exchange Tel-China, says that the United States proceed to Peking.

The despatch also says the French sidered later." already have despatched a strong of native troops from the Loaded Oil Tank French protectorate of Annam. A delegation of officers of the bodyguard of the new president, Li-Yuan Huang, has assured him of the fealty of the guard.

Washington, June 8-Several hunstruction. He probably prepared to them to do. The damage amounted act as soon as he heard of President to about \$50.

Yuan Shi Kai's death. State department advices from Pe-

Weather: Unsettled, probably show are tought and Friday.

Rockwell, Former Bridgeport Girl, Marry.

INJURY RECEIVED IN GAME HAS ILL RESULT

Date Set For Wedding, Couple Refuse To Be Balked By Sudden Attack.

While her fiance. Ralph William about to undergo a serious operation, Miss Sarah Rockwell, formerly of this of Fort Vaux After Heavy on Monday evening in New Haven.
Miss Rockwell and Mr. Young had set In one of the coaches, Jennie Bartion of a gland in an arm, due, it is An immediate operation was decreed

tresses, according to informa- and the young couple decided to be was performed. He is still in a ser-

throughout the city. She removed to New Haven some time ago with her

HOUSES NEEDED HERE AT ONCE

merce Points Out Magnitude of City's Problem.

once. The city now has the greatest "After seven days of feroclous fight- opportunity that ever presented itself to prevent the enemy from occupying ments of the city are pyramiding so ed by a furious combat. We hold the pace with them if the combined capiimmediate surroundings of the fort as tal of all the banks in Bridgeport well as the trenches to the right and were put at the disposal of those re-

This is the substance of statements made by George E. Crawford, president of the Chamber of Commerce. under a housing committee appointed for the purpose, is attempting with the aid of public spirited persons to lay plans for judicious housing.

Numerous projects for raising funds mitted to the Chamber of Commerce committee which is headed by H. H.

"The work of the housing committee at this time," said Mr. Crawhouses for workmen. Whether this corps removed Soderholm to St. Vin-will be by individual building, by corporations or by private or public interests is not material as long as we get good housing. We need nearly egraph despatch from Tien-Tsing, 10,000 houses at once. It is likewise not material at this time whether troops at that place have been order- they be of the single type, the block ed to hold themselves in readiness to type or the New York apartment night on the south side of the inlet type. These are matters to be con-

In Danger When

A backfire of the engine on one of the Standard Oil Cor's, tank automowashington, June - Several little and the Standard Oil Col's. talk automothe Standard Oil Col's. talk automobiles ignited some grease and oil at
the talk yard in the West End at noon
and along the railroad between there
today and the fire spread to an adand Peking and a legation guard of 320 marines, constitute the American military force in China. It was said guished by the use of hand chimicals the grounds. war department that Col. Hale by the workmen and when the firemight take any part of this force to Peking in an emergency without in-

them to do. The damage amounted to about \$50.

A short circuit in the basement of the Warner Brothers factory on the department advices from Pehave indicated a remarkably cent state of the Chinese publicant state of the Said that the driver of the street to Main street to Main street to the sull's the Carroll of 73 Center was not at fault and he nearly lost his train in going to headquarters to state street caused a small fire attaint and out Fairfield avenue to Fair well as the regular firemen.

TRAIN TO CATCH CHICAGO

Football Star and Miss Sarah Susie Gabor Steals \$20 From Mother and Starts For New York With Friend.

> DOOLEY TAKES PAIR TO POLICE STATION

Companion of Young Woman Who Purloined Cash Smiles When Captured.

As the 8:15 train was pulling out of the railroad station this morning, Detective James Dooley came dashing up the incline and running over to the conductor ordered that the train be tured--French Admit Loss city, was married to the young man held while he searched to see if two

the date of their wedding for the lat-ter part of the month when Mf. Young Gabor of 1392 Pembroke street, both London, June 8-The Austri- was taken sudddenly ill with an infec- 18 years of age, were huddled together, and with staring eyes were lookans have evacuated Lutsk, one thought, to an injury received when ing about to see if anyone was noticing them.

The detective saw them at once and made a mistake." police headquarters. Susie took \$20 of her mother's

money this morning and the two girls decided to see the country. Going to the railroad station they purchased tickets for Haverstraw, N. Y. At headquarters Susie took \$14.40 from Senators Wadsworth and Lodge, her pocketbook, which was the Charles Hopkins Clark of Havetbook. pocketbook, which was the amount she had left after buying the She could give no explanatickets. tion of her desire to leave Bridgeport

Jennie's parents were in ignorance Rejection of a plank offered by Seffof the daughter's escapade until notified by the detective.

WET PAVEMENT CAUSES SERIOUS INJURIES TO BOY

Bridgeport needs 10,000 houses at His Bicycle and Passing Truck Skid at Same Time and Collide.

> Herbert Soderholm, aged 14, of 3 Seeley street, was seriously injured this morning when both his wheel and truck he was passing skidded on Washington avenue. He was taken to St. Vincent's hospital, suffering from concussion of the brain, lacerations of his scalp and contusions on his body.

avenue, probably about 10 miles an hour when Soderholm on his wheel began to pass him. The blcycle skidded and Houston attempted to and planning housing have been sub- turn out of the way. The truck then skidded and struck the bicycle, knocking Soderholm from his seat. He was picked up bleeding.

Soderholm was taken to the emer gency hospital. Houston explained the occurrence at police headquarters

SUBMARINE, GROUNDED.

Block Island, R. I., June 8-The to Great Salt Pond, was floated today on a rising tide, with the assistance of a naval tender, and was believed to have escaped serious damage. The L-4 later anchored in the Pond here.

Engine Backfires . WHERE TO SEE THE CIRCUS PARADE .

Barnum and Bailey's circus *

Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 8-Colonel Roosevelt will go to Chicago if "the Republican convention desires me to address it." This he announced today in a reply made to an invitation he received last night from Senator William B. Jackson, of Mary-

land, asking him to come to Chicago. The colonel declared in his answer | man who, if elected, would "place this hat he hoped both the Republicans nation where it belongs by making and Progressives would nominate a it true to itself"

O. P. SUB-COMMITTEE

for woman suffrage has been reject- committee. looking at Jennie, addressed her as for woman suffrage has been reject-"Susie." Her reply was, "You've ed by the sub-committee on resoluply was, "You've ed by the sub-committee on resolu-He took both to tions by a vote of five to four. The mericanism, national defense and

Charles Hopkins Clark, of Hartford, Concerning Mexico, it pledges the Conn.; Former Representative Howland, of Ohio, and Senator Oliver, of Pennsylvente. Pennsylvania.

Chicago, June 8-A proposed plank ator Borah probably will result in the the day if he would come to Chicago. The delegates rose and the cheers in the Republican platform declaring question being taken before the full

fight will be carried before the full other questions have been adopted in a form intended to meet Progressive

zens in and near the borders of their present intention to accept the invitation of her desire to leave Bridgeport other than she had relatives in Haver-other than she had relatives in Haver-straw. While Susie was crying, Jennie smiled during the inquisition and did not appear to be greatly disturbed when locked up.

Jennie's parents were in tenorance tack on the administration's policy.

Pennsylvania.

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BROTHER IS ARRESTED FOR DEATH OF MAN DISCOVERED DROWNED SEVEN YEARS AGO

been held on a charge of arson at the Grand Juror Edgar E. C. Clark, Jr., Haddam County Jail and who is said of Haddam.

to have been with his brother just be
As soon as the complaint is ready was also represented by Rollin U. convenes in September.

Middletown, Jun 8—Coroner Ste-Tyler, of Tylerville, and Charles A. ing. phen B. Davis today completed his in-Shelton of Clinton. Upon advice of Tiles. in the Connecticut river off the Red and he was remanded into the care wait as the crowd began assemb-

A formal complaint charging homi-Henry Smith, the brother who has cide will be made against Smith by braved the rain, hawking admissions,

fore the latter's body was found, was it will be served on Smith and he will at the hearing before the coroner and be held for the superior court which

Edward W. Houston of 50 Jewett avenue was driving a motor truck loaded with milk cans, on Washington HURT IN FALL IN CAR'S PATH

Pains, He Drops in Front of Taxicab.

Slipping on the wet pavement on Main street at Wall street as he at-IS FLOATED BY TIDE tempted to cross the street in front of a pasing taxicab, George P. Farley without attempting of 1 Seeley street fell to the street and anyone is injured. head that it took six stitches to close. Farley, who is a lawyer, was crossing from the northeast corner of Wall and Main streets to the Arcade, cutting diagonally across the street. The taxicab, driven by John J. Dolinsky of 122 Hallett street, was traveling about 10 miles an hour and when Dolinsky saw Farley fall he stopped the machine about a foot from where Farley lay. The latter attempted to arise but slipped and fell backwards, striking the crank handle of the car.

He was taken to the emergency hos-* Fairfield avenue just west of the *
viaduct. All Fairfield avenue and *
State street cars will go direct to *
the grounds. blame. He had been suffering with The line of march of the parade * rheumatism, he said, and should not from box 144 there was nothing for them to do. The damage amounted to about \$50. P. D. Wright, president of the Reed

.... was not held by the police.

FUGITIVE AUTO DRIVER GETS 10 DAYS FOR FLIGHT

Attacked By Rheumatic Hit Another Car and Drove and the platform began to fill. Away-Judge Severe in Arraignment.

> The next time Paul Jirincy of Mamaroneck, N. Y., is in an automobile accident he will not drive away without attempting to find out whether nue and knocking down the man who called for the report of the credenwas cranking the other car. In addition he was fined \$1 and costs by Senator Smoo Judge Wilder in the city court today. After running into the automobile, port and was applauded. Jirincy continued on his way but witprehended him as he was passing in contested cases. with Jiriney.

He was scathingly arraigned by the judge and was unable to give any lengthy affair. Scattering applause clear reason why he should not have greeted announcement of some of the stopped. Michael Alaban, of 26 Clar- conetsts. At its conclusion Senator ence street, who was cranking the ma- Smoot moved the adoption of the rechine that was struck, suffered an in- port. jury to the groin.

held by the police.

Second Days' Session of Two Conventions Open With Outlook For Regular Republican Nomination Going to Supreme Court Justice on Ballot Tomorrow — Progressives Say Old Guard Hasn't Accepted Invitation to "Come in," and the Selection of Roosevelt and Johnson to Head Progressive Slate Now Seems Certain.

Chicago, June 8-As political leaders gathered for the second day's sessions of the Republican and Progressive national conventions, it became more and more apparent that there would be two tickets in the field.

Victor Murdock, chairman of the Progressive National Committee, summed up the whole situation when he said today:

"Well, we left the door open and the Republicans don't seem to be coming in." That was the Progressive leader's reply to inquries as to

whether there remained any prospect for harmony. Republican leaders, too, discounted the success of the peace talk, saying that action had been delayed for so long that a ma-

jority of the Republican delegates already have decided to proceed without regard for any third party and nominate Justice Hughes, to whom the most support has been gathered. There are some among the Pro- | when he tried to stop it with gavel, gressives and among Roosevelt Republicans as well, who still believe that the Colonel himself could save brought more of a demonstration.

Representative Gardner, of Massa- rolled louder, chusetts, who was defeated for Republican delegate-at-large from Mass-Col. Roosevelt on without delay. Word came from Oyster Bay, however, that Col. Roosevelt had received

the telegram Republican National called for the Committeeman Jackson, of Maryland, tee on rules. tion, he said he would make public

the coliseum tomorrow but it is not pines and was adopted. expected the convention will adjourn before Saturday.

The Progressive convention probably will not nominate before Saturtheir ticket Roosevelt and Johnson, presented it. It was an unanimous their standard bearers of four years report and has been published. Brief-

The Republican convention was called to order at 11:22 a. m. When the doors of the coliseum were opened this morning, two hours body before the Republican convention was due to begin business, the pouring rain which has soaked delegates and spectators for three days was still fall-

The hall was cold and damp but quest into the death of William H. counsel, Henry Smith declined to the delegates made the best of it. The Smith, whose body was found floating make any statement to the coroner band up in the gallery enlivened the

> The usual line of ticket speculators the prices of which steadily declined. Inasmuch as the temporary organization had been made permanent yesterday, nothing remained but to put the proceeding to the convention for its approval. The feeling among the early arriving delegates showed a disposition to believe the gloomy weather might hasten the proceedings toward a final adjournment on Friday but among the men who control the sessions of the convention there was an absence of prediction as to final ad-

Chairman Hilles finally got in and had a short conference with Former Secretary Stimson and Nicholas Murray Butler, of the New York delega-

to the "Star-Spangled Banner" crowd rose and there was scattered hand clapping. Monsigner Francis G. Kelly read

prayer. The convention stood in si-lence as he read the invocation. Chairman Harding was ready to go on with the next business but the band began "Rock of Ages." When Block Island, R. I., June 8—The of I Seeley street fell to the management of the first bar. However, the submarine L-4, which stranded last struck the crank handle of the management of the south side of the inlet chine, suffering a laceration of his running his machine into the rear of and stopped it. Mr. Harding then another last evening on Fairfield ave-

> Senator Smoot, the chairman, came up on the platform to make the re-The report, recommending the seat-

nesses had obtained the number of ing of 987 delegates, was read by the the car and the Stamford police ap- senator with a list of the decisions through that city. Detective Sergeant delegates from the District of Cowent to Stamford and returned lumbia, admitted two each from Alaska and Hawaii.

The reading of the report was a

A rolling chorus of ayes put it

It was the longest sustained demonstration of the convention so far, achusetts on a Roosevelt ticket, plead- Finally, the crowd quited and Mr. ed with Progressive leaders to bring Harding thanked the convention for its approval.

Mr. Harding, in a brief speech, thanked the convention and then called for the report of the commit-The report was not

Senator Smoot was recognized for a supplemental report from the credentials committee. The Republican nomination for give votes to the six delegates from President probably will be made in Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philip-

That made the total votes in the convention 898, making 495 votes necessary to a nomination, Finally, the report of the rules com-The delegates are confident mittee was ready and National comthat on Saturday they will name as mitteeman C. B. Warren, of Michigan, ly, the rules of the convention are those of the House of Representatives with certain modifications to adapt them to the needs of so different a

The report of the resolutions committee was the next order of business but the chairman announced that with the arbitrary authority which goes with the gavel he would appoint former Secretary Stimson and Speaker Sweet, of New York, to escort Chauncey M. Depew to the platform. Bowing and smiling, Mr. Depew tools his place while the delegates an-

This was taken to mean there was a delay in bringing in the resolutions

report. Some of the delegates shouted Eighty-two years old, the 'Speech." famous New Yorker faced the convention. His voice still full and round, carried better than those of younger men who had preceded him and he was given closest attention. Mr. Depew told the convention it was the sixty-first anniversary of his

preaching of Republicanism. "Today we have a world crisis in which even Christianity is doubted," he said in referring to the war. "We are entering upon this canvass either with an assertion of Americanism that will keep us out of it, or a mollycoddle policy that will put us into

Bull Moose Finish Writing Platform

Chicago, June 8-Ringing declarations of Americanism and for preparedness, military, spiritual, eco-nomic and industrial, are keynotes of the Progressive national platform, completed today in co-operation with the Republican convention platform The Progressive platform (Continued on Page 2.)

of the decisions CONN. DELEG

Foreshadowing the outcome of the bitter fight that is raging in the ranks of the Connecticut delegation at Chicago, it was announced yesterday that John T. King, of Bridgeport, had been

There was quite a demonstration and a majority of the delegation lined un-